

Chico Friends of the Library

Minutes of Annual Meeting 5-20-08 7:00

Macy Kelly, President, called the meeting to order

1) Appreciation

Macy expressed her appreciation for all the Library Volunteers and the current Chico Friends of the Library (CFOL) Board

2) Activities in the past year

- a) Sponsored a team for the Butte Co. Literacy Trivia Bee
- b) Classic Film Festival started – 2nd Wednesday evenings
- c) Fall Festival in October
- d) Bookmark Contest – poster of winners and example bookmarks
- e) Book Sale – Weekly on Saturday mornings
- f) Persuasive Actions –
 - i) showed our support to the Co. Board of Supervisors for increased library funding, resulting in more open hours and staffing
 - ii) overwhelmed Chico City Council with requests to continue library funding
(1)members received more emails & letters on this issue than most others

3) Announcements

- a) Butte Co. Library Advisory Committee – has 2 openings in Dec. for our area
- b) Chico Branch Cookbook

4) Election of officers and board members – carried with acclaim

President: Ann Elliott, Secretary: open, Board Members: Diane Cobb, Robb Atkinson, Linda Leahy, Mary Wahl, Gerald Davis, Margaret Bomberg, Louise Agos, Joan Olmstead, Betty Forbes, Marian Milling. (VP Anne Nordhus and Treas. Susan Davis continue for another year)

5) Robert Woods (Guest Speaker) – Thank You

- a) An Accidental Look at a Stone Age Culture
 - i) Presentation on Ishi – last of the Yahi group of Yana Native Americans
 - ii) Fascinating Tale as he has presented for Lassen National Forest and other assemblies

Meeting Adjourned 8:20 to delicious refreshments

Upcoming meetings –

Board Meeting – June 17, 2008